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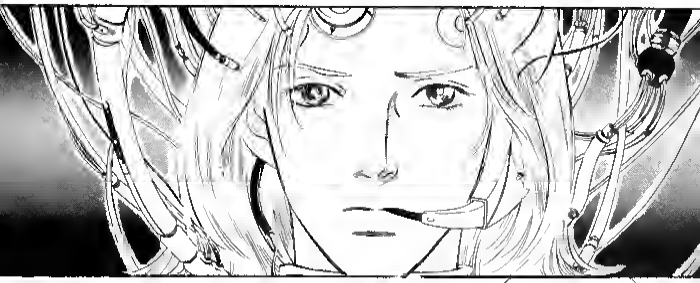
LEGEND OF FOUR FUNKY SPIRITS

MZ LEADS ME BACK AND I WILL RETURN, NO MATTER WHAT.



I WILL NOT ALLOW ANYONE ELSE TO UNDERTAKE THIS TASK.

I AM ASSIGNED TO THE SKAYA AIRFORCE GREAT CARRIER "DANCEMANIA",

ACE PILOT MALLOY CHIHAYA.

WHAT IS YOUR PURPOSE IN ATTACKING OUR TARIS ARMY HEAD-QUARTERS?

IF YOU W. NT TO CONDUCT YOUR GAMES OF NATION CONQUEST THAT'S UP TO YOU.
BUT TO FORCE SOMEONE TO PARTICIPATE AGAINST THEIR WILL IS ANOTHER MATTER.
HE AD- QUAR- TERS?
THE TERRITORY'S AMBITIONS TO RULE OVER THE SKAYA GOVERNMENT ARE PLAIN FOR ALL TO SEE
DON'T TAKE THAT KIND OF BACK- TALK FROM HIM.
VOLVI,
MALLOY CHIHAYA,
YOUR PAST IS BEHIND A VERY THIN VEIL
MY P-PAST?

!
WHAT IS THIS!?

WHAT A SPLENDID RESPONSE!
THIS IS YOUR MOST VUL-NERABLE SPOT, IT SEEMS
SO, THE MANY COMFORTS THAT THE SKAYA AIRFORCE HAVE GIVEN YOU—
tremble
WHAT WERE THEY? FOOD? A BED?
HMM?
BUT WHAT WAS IT THAT TOOK YOUR PARENTS AWAY FROM YOU?
FOR A START, WHO WAS IT THAT SENT THE RAIN OF ARTILLERY? NONE OTHER THAN THE SKAYA AIRFORCE!
STOP IT!

I SHOULD HAVE FORGOTTEN IT
ALL MEMORY OF THE P.W.N CAUSED BY THE ARMY'S MIND CONTROL SHOULD HAVE BEEN ERASED.
UH.
U-UH...
BUT I CAN'T RELEASE YOU FROM THE PAIN JUST YET
THERE'S A GOOD BOY...
EVEN THOUGH...
HOW?
HOW COME THIS IS SO REAL?
WAAHH!
WAAHH!
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STOP IT!
IS HE ALRIGHT?
A CHILD...
LIVING ON A MOUNTAIN OF CORPSES...
MOMMY...
PLEASE STOP!
HER WIDE-OPEN EYES, BAKED IN THE INTENSE HEAT.
MOMMY'S BURNING.
FALLEN IN THE MUD...

WE DON'T HAVE TOO MANY OPPORTUNITIES TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE SKAYA MEMORY DATA ERASURE SYSTEM.
IT WON'T MEAN ANYTHING UNTIL WE HAVE DONE THE COMPLETE PERSONALITY CHANGE
A SOLDIER LIVES ONLY TO FIGHT
HAA
HAA
HAA

LET'S WAG HIS TAIL A LITTLE
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UH...

THUMP
AH!
AH... UH...
AH...
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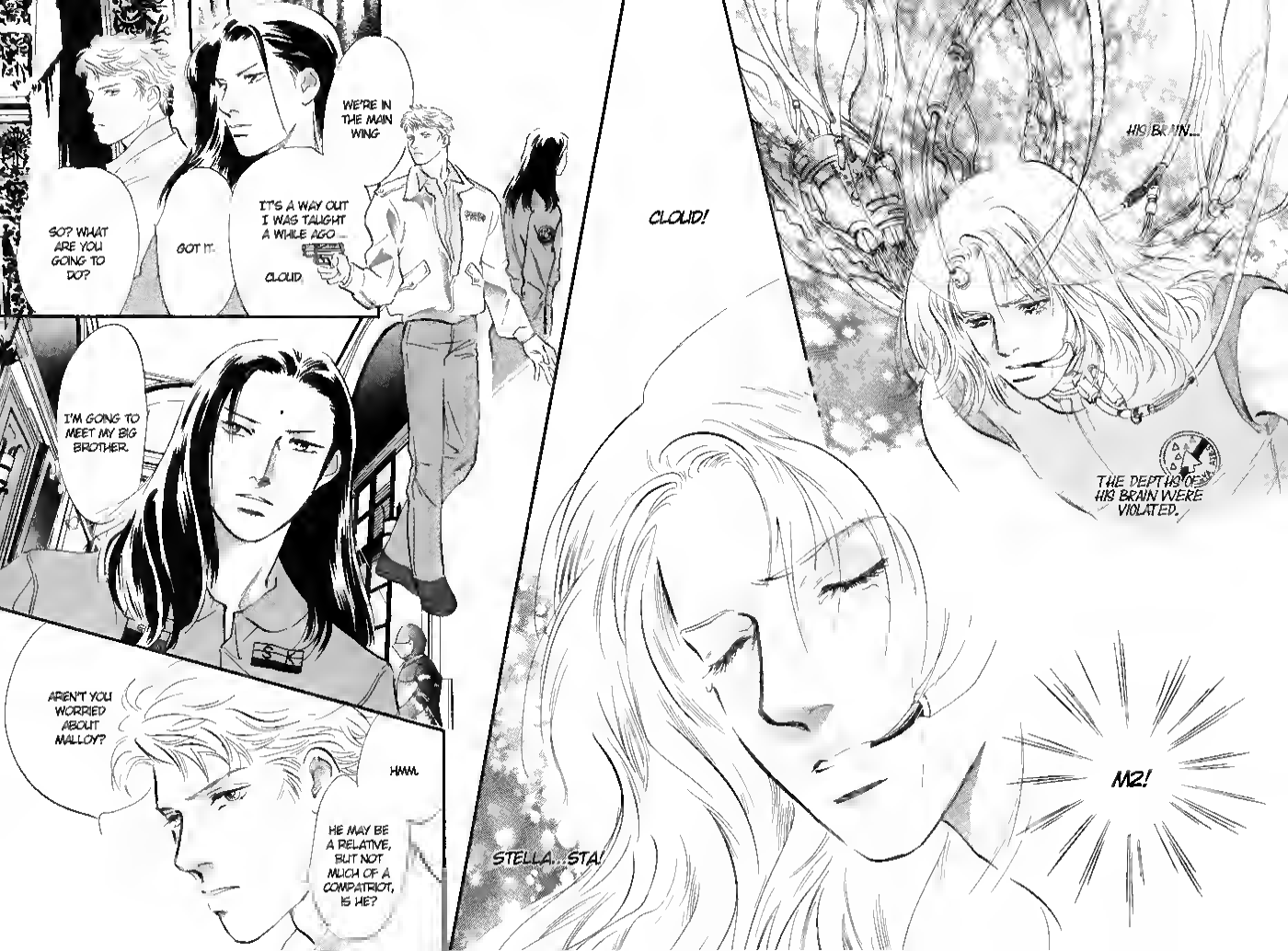
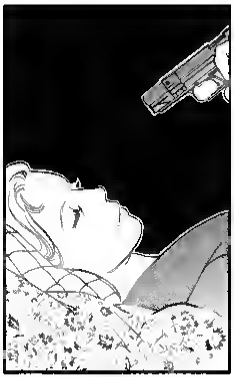

WE'RE IN THE MAIN WING
IT'S A WAY OUT I WAS TAUGHT A WHILE AGO...
CLOUD.
GOT IT.
SO? WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
I'M GOING TO MEET MY BIG BROTHER.
AREN'T YOU WORRIED ABOUT MALLOY?
HMM.
HE MAY BE A RELATIVE, BUT NOT MUCH OF A COMPATRIOT, IS HE?
CLOUD!
HIS BRAIN...
THE DEPTHS OF HIS BRAIN WERE VIOLATED.
M2!
STELLA...STA!

I CAN'T BE WORRYING ABOUT TWO PEOPLE AT THE SAME TIME.
I'D BETTER DASH
I'VE GOT SEMI-CONFI-DENCE IN YOUR JUDGMENT
WHAT?!
I HAVE A NATURALLY LOUD VOICE!
SEMI?? DON'T UNDER-ESTIMATE ME ARGYLE!
OK. OK. NO NEED TO SHOUT!

IT'S BEEN YEARS SINCE I WAS HERE.

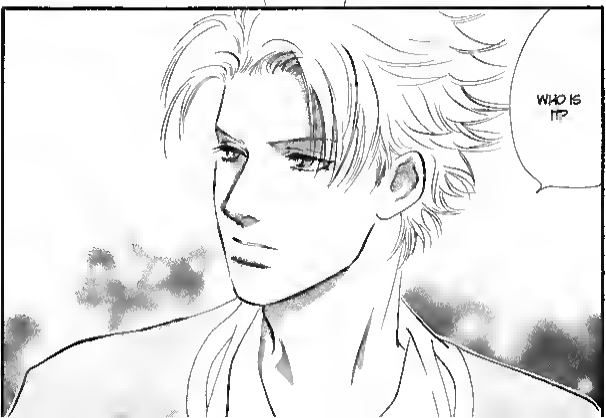


BANG
BROTHER! PLEASE DON'T!
S-STELLA..
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

WHAT A MAZE IT IS!
SO THIS IS WHAT THE MANSION IS LIKE.
BUT, NOIE-SAMA, I'M FROM THE COLONE, HE SAYS I'M NOT TO TAKE MY EYES OF BREISUS
IF YOU DON'T MIND,
PLEASE DON'T COME NEAR ONII-SAMA'S ROOM!
THOSE ARE MY ORDERS!
THIS IS RIGHT NEXT DOOR TO HIM, TOO!
HE CAN'T RELAX WITH YOU AROUND!
HURRY UP AND LEAVE!

BREIGUS...
SON OF TRUMAN.
I'M SURE THIS IS THE CHARACTER THAT THEY BRAINWASHED INTO ME.
SWISH

NOIE?


WHO IS IT?

I'LL SHOOT YOUR RIGHT NOW!
IF YOU DON'T SAY IT,
STATE YOUR NAME, RANK AND DIVISION!
I'VE FOUND YOU AT LAST!
M2.
THUD
D.M

THEN I WILL DIE
IF IT MEANS I WON'T FIGHT THEN THAT'S FINE
THWOK
BUT YOU ARE STILL DANCEMANIA'S LIVING LEGEND, M2!
IT'S LIKE YOU'VE TURNED INTO A COWARD!

HOW LONG DO YOU INTEND TO LET THEM MESS WITH YOUR MIND?
SNAP OUT OF IT! YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'LL STILL BE LIVING IN 52 YEARS.
DON'T GIVE A GUY LIKE ME ANY TROUBLE.
YOU AREN'T GOING TO KILL ME?

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SKA
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IF THE BRAIN IS NO USE, THERE'S STILL THE BODY.
THE BODY CARRIES THE BURDEN OF THE PAST.
RIGHT ME?
THE BODY REMEMBERS!

IF ANYTHING HAPPENS TO MALLOY,
I WON'T HESITATE TO KILL YOU THERE AND THEN!
ASK YOUR DAMN BODY!
WHAT IS PLEASURE AND WHAT IS PAIN?

D.M
SKATA AIR

MM...
THE BODY REMEMBERS.
...CARRIES THE BURDEN OF THE PAST.
THAT FACE...
MM... MY FATHER.

ARE YOU MI'S SON?
ARE YOU MI'S...
YOU LOOK EXACTLY LIKE HIM...
THUMP

I AM GANDI REBENS.
I WAS AN OLD FRIEND OF YOUR FATHER'S.
HE WENT MISSING IN ACTION, BUT IT DOESN'T MEAN HE'S DEAD...
IF THE TWO OF US BELIEVE IT, THEN HE WILL DEFINITELY COME BACK
THANK YOU MR. REBENS
YOU CAN CALL ME DEE, OK?
I CAN'T JUST LEAVE YOU ON YOUR OWN LIKE THIS
FROM NOW ON YOU'LL LIVE WITH ME AND WE'LL WAIT FOR MI TO RETURN

M2.
THAT'S A GOOD BOY. WE'LL GET ON FINE
IT'S YOUR CALLSIGN
I WILL NEVER FORGET IT
WHEREVER I MAY BE, WHATEVER I MAY DO, I WILL ALWAYS RETURN TO MY BEGINNINGS
BECAUSE YOU'RE M1'S SON, I'LL CALL YOU M2 FROM NOW ON

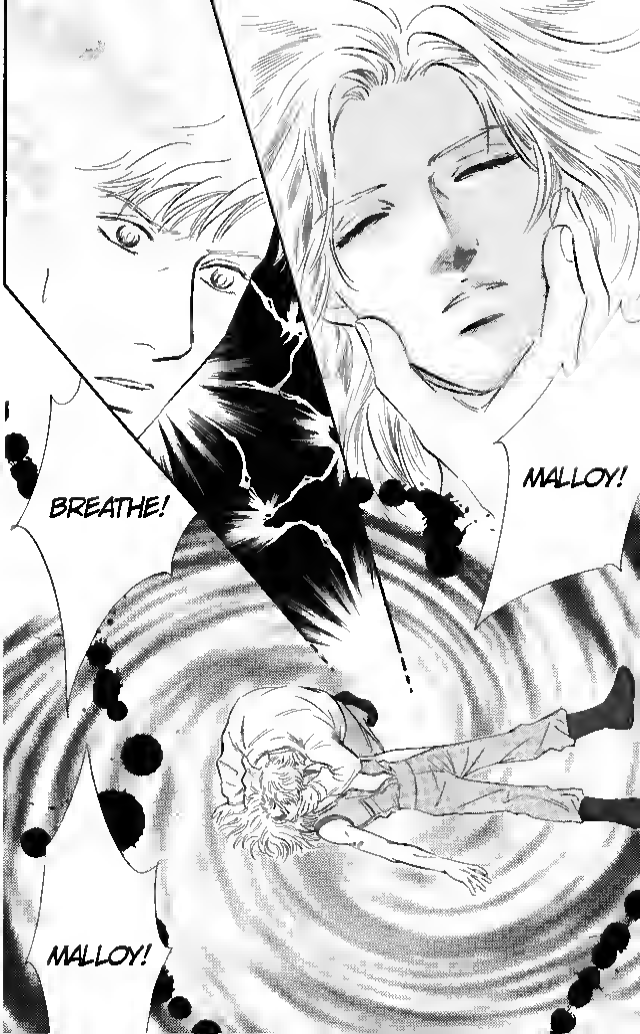
MZ...
DEE...
CONVARDICE.
DEE.
PLEASE LET ME GO...
THE SKY'S BECOME SO FAR AWAY.

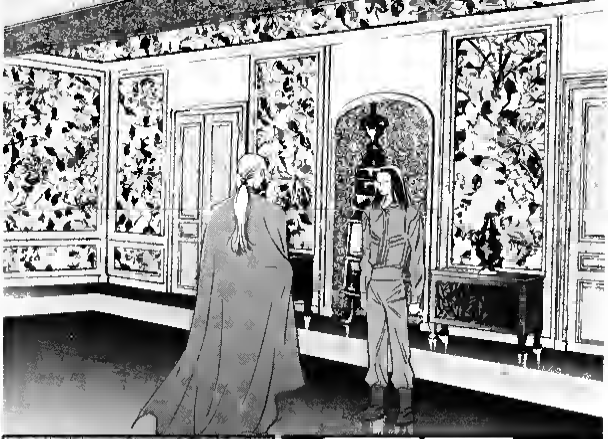
MALLOY!
SIR!
THAT'S ENOUGH IDLE CHATTER.
HIS BRAIN'S BEEN TAMPERED WITH.
IT'S TERRIBLE!
THIS ONE'S HALF-DEAD!

YOU STAND GUARD
IF HE REGAINS CONSCIOUSNESS, DON'T DO ANYTHING.
JUST LEAVE HIM.
THUD
CLICK

MALLOY!

SLAM
HEY! MALLOY!
IS THIS A JOKE?!
BREATHE!


MALLOY!
BREATHE!
MALLOY!



AND IT CONTINUED UNTIL JUST BEFORE FATHER'S DEATH.
OF COURSE, IT WAS MUTUALLY UNDERSTOOD TO BE A SO-CALLED PLATONIC LOVE THAT THEY WERE GOING THROUGH.

30 YEARS AGO
MOTHER AND TRUMAN HAD A LOVE AFFAIR. IT WAS ABOUT 3 YEARS BEFORE SHE MARRIED INTO THE CHURCHES FAMILY

EVEN FOR ME IT WAS LIKE A BOLT OUT OF THE BLUE FOR ME TO ACCEPT TRUMAN.
I DIDN'T THINK SO.
I NEVER REALIZED...
BROTHER.
DO YOU INTEND TO ESCAPE?
ESCAPE...?
AT ANY RATE,
THIS IS NOTHING SHORT OF THE BETRAYAL OF THE COUNTRY
THIS IS...
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BUT I AM THINKING OF HOW THINGS WILL END.
YOU PRESENT A SOUND ARGUMENT,
BUT BROTHER, DOES NOT THE VERY CENTRE OF SKAYA ARMED FORCES REST UPON YOU AS A SOLDIER?
YOU MAY SHARE MOTHER'S FATE HERE
THE REST, THIS STRATEGY, IN EVERY RESPECT, REGARDING THE DATA CHIP, THE PLAN TO ACQUIRE THE AIRFORCE'S MAIN ESSENTIAL ENGINE, IT WILL STILL COME ABOUT.
BUT WHAT OF YOUR POSITION AS A MILITARY MAN?
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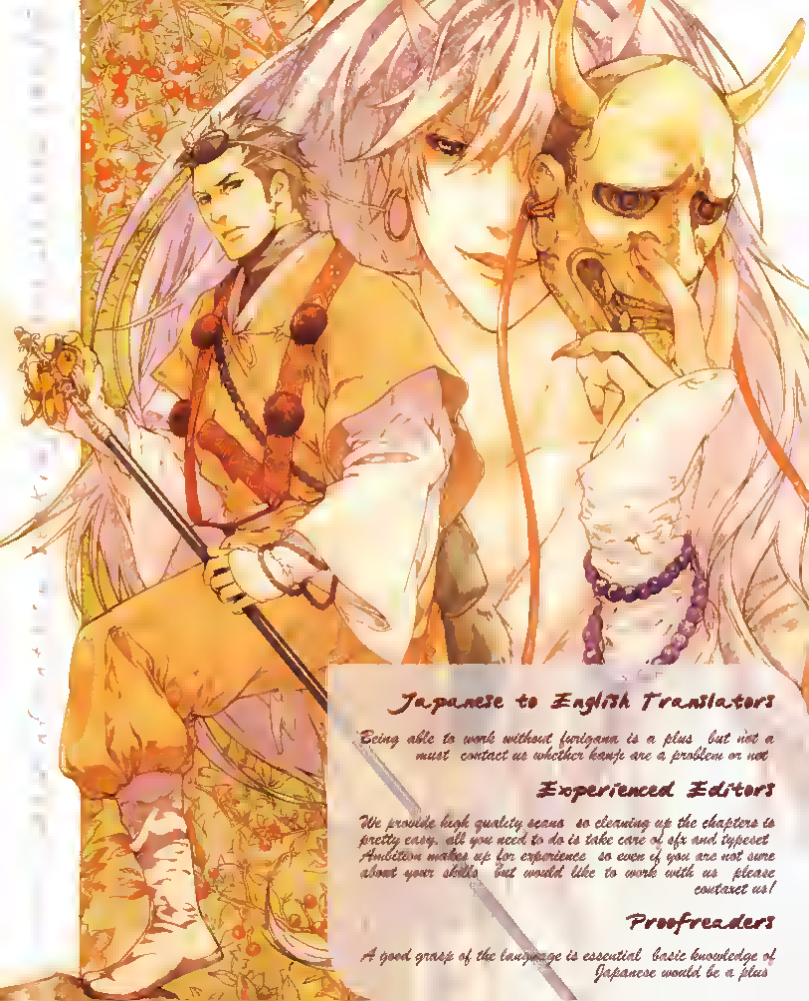
YOU ARE WRONG!

WHEN YOU SHOULD BE AT THE VERY CENTER OF THESE EVENTS!
IT'S DOESN'T MAKE SENSE FOR YOU NOT TO BE THERE
STELLA...
THERE CANNOT BE A SINGLE HUMAN BEING WHO KNOWS MORE ABOUT THE WHOLE SUBJECT!
THIS ISN'T A STRATEGY! IT'S A DELUSION!

BROTHER,
PLEASE RECONSIDER
"DANCE-MANIA"
STELLA!
PROTECT YOURSELF, PROTECT MOTHER,
PROTECT OUR COUNTRY!
SLAM

MALLOY!
PLEASE BREATHE !!



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